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EASTERN DATES TO SEPT. 17.

Thiers and his Mission to England.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—A telegram to the *Tribune* dated New York, Sept. 17th, says: Up to 6 o'clock yesterday evening, M. Thiers had not intimated to the daughter proposals to the British Government that the neutral Powers should unanimously exert their good offices for the restoration of peace. It is absolutely true, as before telegraphed, that Thiers is in England with out instructions, credentials or power of offering any guarantees on the part of France

Attempt to Assassinate Napoleon.

BERLIN, Sept. 17.—Considerable excitement was occasioned at Wilhelmshohn, recently, by an attempt to assassinate the French Emperor by a German apprentice, who was arrested before he could accomplish his purpose. A loaded pistol was found on his person. He declared that the bullet was designed for Napoleon.

Italian Affairs.

FLORENCE, Sept. 15.—It is reported that the Pope has left Rome.

ROME, Sept. 17.—The inhabitants received a flag of truce from Gen. Cadorna, in command of the troops who have arrived very close to the city The people received a flag of truce with great demonstrations of favor and will not permit the Papal Zouaves to resist the Italian troops.

A dispatch from Milan reports assurious though brief engagement, six miles from Rome. The Papal Zouaves lost thirty killed, and 145 wounded. The rest surrendered. It is virtually certain that the Italian army reached Rome to-night.

Military Movements around Paris.

PARIS, Sept. 17.—The Prussians are still numerous near Neuvedaimmertier and at La Plea. A force of 30,000 have occupied Villais Cotterels, and there are 10,000 at Manten. It is believed the Prussian line of attack will be from the east, by way of Vincennes.

TOURS, Sept. 17.—The fort of Vincennes was blown up and destroyed yesterday by the French, the position being untenable. It is understood there were several minor engagements outside of the fortifications of Paris yesterday.

LONDON, Sept 17.—News from Paris is meagre and contradictory. The usual lines of communication are interrupted. The northern railway, leading from Orleans to Paris is cut between Abloo and Jarsey, about eight miles south of Paris. At the latter place, the Germans had planted a battery. Heavy firing has been heard in that direction, and it is thought a battle is in progress. No details received.

A sharp fight occurred at Ris, another small town on the Orleans railway, where the lines had been cut.

The railway to Leon is now entirely in Prussian hands.

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Siege of Strasbourg.

LONDON, Sept. 17th.—A dispatch from Bersmuth, eleven miles northwest from Strasbourg, says there was heavy firing all day from heavy guns in the third parallel, causing great destruction to the walls and citadel. An effort to carry the fortifications by storm will doubtless be made to-morrow. The sufferings of the people are very great, and provisions are served out in limited quantities.

Germans Closing around Paris.

PARIS, Sept. 16—The advance of the Prussians steadily continues. They are closing in on Paris in a way indicating an attack on the southern and southeastern sides, and are massing in that direction so as to secure supplies and at the same time prevent reinforcements from the southwest to the besieged.

Military men of experience say the power of the city is limited only by the supply of food.

General Military News

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LONDON, Sept. 16.—A dispatch from Paris says Trochu to-day received the advance guard of a corps of 10,000 armed volunteers.

Metz still holds out, and it is said that Bazaine has 70,000 men, and an abundance of provisions and ammunition. He is constantly harassing the enemy.

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The Bombardment of Toul was resumed yesterday forenoon and continued until night.

Notice

If Napoleon should turn up some fine morning in New York, carpet-bag in hand, and want a situation, what are the Democracy going to do about it? Make him an alderman and give little Lemi a clerkship? They make a great fuss about carpet baggers, and such a case would put them to the test. If it happens, we shall see whether they like the carpet-bagger less, or Napoleon more.

PACIFIC COAST DISPATCHES.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CALIFORNIA

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—About 500 persons, mainly depositors, attended the meeting to consider the affairs of the California Building, Savings and Loan Society, last night. J. F. Hendy, book keeper, stated that the assets on hand September 1st were as follows: Cash, $ [illegible] 2; City Bonds, $96 485 00; Bank Building, $71, 225 00; Loans, $629,735 00. Total, $861,814 37. Liabilities amount to $905 236 82, leaving a surplus of $46,179 30. The stockholders will lose all they own. If assets were good they could pay dollar for dollar, but he estimated that assets amounting to about $100,000 or more were bad, as follows: Mortgages and notes, $20,000; loans on stock, $50,000; bank building, only worth $30,000; loans on real estate (title bad), $10,000; loans on the building's stock, $10,000; which would make them short $56,555 50. The affairs cannot be wound up in less than a year, and the assets in that time would draw enough interest to pay nearly dollar for dollar. that is, if it is managed honestly. A motion was carried that depositors sign an agreement to leave their funds in the bank for twelve months, and to elect Trustees who are to give bonds.

Gen. Sherman.

The Pioneers escorted General Sherman on board the *Oneidamma* this morning, and the crowd on the wharf gave him cheer after cheer as the steamer moved off. A fine band was in attendance and gave him "Marching Through Georgia," as long as he was within hearing distance.

Vessels for Portland.

The *Orient* cleared yesterday for Portland, and the *Commodore* has just been laid on. At present the following vessels are up for Portland: *Commodore, Edward James, Emma Augusta*, and *Pericles*. The two first load in Merrill's line and the last in Simpson's. Another vessel will soon be secured for Parrish's line. It is not often we have so many vessels up at the same time for the port. Just now considerable freight is going forward. The above vessels will load iron and assorted merchandise, and will return to this port with produce and lumber. The cargo of Mexican salt, per *Greyhound*, has been cleared for Oregon without breaking bulk.

General Dispatches.

T. L. Couran, residing at No. 22, Park avenue, while hunting yesterday, had his right hand blown off by the accidental discharge of his gun.

August Horhoff, aged thirty-five, a native of Germany, fell overboard from the schooner *Heritance* and was drowned.

An assault and battery case, which, it is supposed, will pan out rich, will come up before the Police Court on Monday. The defendant is an old and not beautiful attorney, who charges the complainant (a young Adonis), also an attorney, with tampering with the affections of his wife. Both are well known in the community.

Charles Loth, working on the spire of the new church on Powell street, was hit on the head by a plank falling from above, and his skull fractured.

A thousand-dollar horse, owned by Geo. Duncan, being frightened by boys while tied to a post, threw himself down with such force that it fractured his skull and instantly killed him.

INTERIOR CALIFORNIA DISPATCHES.

MARYSVILLE, Sept. 17.—It is reported that within a month the construction forces on the San Joaquin Valley Road will return to the California and Oregon Road, to complete it through to Tehama.

The report that the Tide Land Reclaiming Company will levee the west bank of the Sacramento river, to reclaim overflowed lands in Colusa, creates considerable excitement among the farmers in Sutter county. They say that the levee will close several large outlets west of the Sacramento and consequently force the water over the east bank, flooding and destroying their farms. They propose to test the constitutionality of the law in the courts.

John Hobbs, a shoemaker, shot at Dr. C Harrington, at the entrance to his office this evening, but did not hit him. He was intoxicated, and was angry because the Doctor had sued him for a long standing bill. He was arrested and lodged in the city prison.

GILROY, Sept. 17.—The Visalia stage, coming north, was stopped at six P. M. by highwaymen, and Wells, Fargo & Co's treasure box was taken. It is not known how much it contained.

THE OREGON LEGISLATURE.

Sixth Biennial Session

SENATE—Morning Session.

SALEM, Saturday, September 17th.

The Senate was called to order at 10 A. M. by President Fay.

The roll was called and all the members were recorded as present except Mr. Pershbaker.

Mr. President—As there is no clergyman present the Senate will have to do without prayers this morning.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr Mosher, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported that the committee had appointed Byron Holmes clerk of that committee, and requested that the Secretary of State be required to administer the usual oath.

On motion of Mr. Mosher the report was adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Enrolling, reported S. J. R. No. 1, 2 and 3 correctly enrolled.

Mr. Holtzclaw introduced S. B. No. 3, a bill to authorize the Secretary of State to furnish each member with three dollars' worth of stamps. Section 1, Article 2, Title 4.

On the motion of Mr. Holtzclaw the rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by Title—ayes 15, noes 6.

Mr. Trevitt suggested that this being an appropriation bill, it should originate in the House.

Mr. President—Bills to create a revenue list originate in the House; other bills may originate in either House. As this is not a bill to create revenue it may properly be introduced here.

Mr. Holtzclaw moved to further suspend the rules, consider the bill engrossed and read a third time by title.

A motion was made by Mr. Cornelius to refer to the Judiciary Committee, but was lost.

The rules were suspended and the bill read a third time and passed—yeas, Baldwin, Brown of Baker, Burch, Cochran, Crawford, Hendershott, Holtzclaw, Hoult, Lionliau, Mosher, Patterson, Powell, Watts, Withain and Mr. President—15; nays, Brown of Marion, Cornelius, Moores, Stout, Thompson, Trevitt—6.

Mr. Baldwin gave notice of a bill to create an Insurance Commissioner for this State.

Mr Baldwin introduced S. B. No 4, a bill to create a Board of Equalization for the various counties in this State, and to amend Section 4 of Chapter 2 of Title 8 of the General Laws of Oregon.

On motion of Mr. Mosher the rules were suspended and the bill read by title.

A MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Announcing the concurrence of the House in S. J. R., authorizing the Secretary of State to furnish clerks of both Houses and Judges of the Supreme Court with a copy each of the laws and vols.

Mr. Hendershott—The Yamhill county contested election case is now before the Committee on Elections, and as the depositions are voluminous, it will require some time to investigate it before the committee, and I would suggest that the Benton county contest be referred to a select committee.

On motion of Mr. Mosher, the committee on Elections were required to report the contested election cases from Benton county first in the Senate, the ayes were Brown of Baker county, Burch, Cochran, Crawford, Hendershott, Holtzclaw, Hoult, Lionliau, Mosher, Patterson, Stout, Trevitt—12. The noes were Baldwin, Brown of Marion county, Cornelius, Moores, Powell, Thompson, Watts, Withain and Mr. President.

Mr Hendershott, from the committee on Elections, reported the bill back to the Senate.

Mr. Mosher moved to adopt the report.

Mr. Cornelius—This whole action I believe to be unparliamentary in this case. The papers have not been opened by the committee. The only proper course, it seems to me, would have been to have reconsidered the vote by which the bill was referred.

Mr. Stout concurred with Mr. Cornelius that the order referring the bill should have been reconsidered

Mr. Cochran inquired where the papers were if not in the hands of the committee, and said he was unwilling to consume all the time of the session with these contested election cases.

Mr. Hendershott—The papers were offered to me by the contestants, but as the committee had the Yamhill county contest under consideration, I requested them to retain the papers until that was disposed of.

Mr President: The committee were constructionally in possession of the papers. I think the proper course has been pursued in ordering the committee to report the case back to the Senate for its sanction.

Mr. Hoult moved to refer to a special committee

Mr. Trevitt moved to amend and refer to the committee of the Whole.

On motion of Mr. Trevitt the Senate resolved itself into a committee of the Whole to consider the contest between Mr. Strahan, contestant, and Mr. Witham, the sitting member from Benton county.

Mr. Cochran in the Chair.

On motion of Mr. Cornelius the parties, sitting members and contestants, were allowed to appear personally or by attorney.

Mr. Witham—By agreement there has been but one set of papers taken in this case and they are in possession of the House committee. I ask time to get those papers.

Mr Cornelius moved that the committee rise and report progress.

Mr. Fay moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be ordered to arrest the House committee and bring them in here with the papers. Not seconded.

Mr. Burch stated that one of the contestants had gone after the papers and would soon return.

Mr. Cornelius withdrew his motion.

Mr. Strahan, contestant, said the chairman of the House had given him only part of the papers and desired all of the papers at 1 P. M, so that the committee might conclude the investigation already in progress.

Mr. Hendershott inquired what portion of the papers were in Mr. Strahan's possession and if the gentleman could commence the case.

Mr. Strahan, said he was willing to present the papers if the Senate so desired. On motion of Mr Trevitt the committee rose and reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Hendershott the report of the committee was adopted.

The Senate adjourned until 10 A. M. Mon

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An Answer to Gov Grover and the 'Herald'

We have stated that the courts in the State had the right and the Constitution and laws of the United States no right to interfere with the decision of the State authorities in the matter of the Kellogg-Pitt contest. The *Herald* attempts a distinction between the two cases and says that a State can shut its doors against any foreign people it may choose to exclude, but it challenges our position in the matter.

As to the Oregon assertion that the question can be substantiated by the authorities of the highest judicial tribunal we further produce at present a flat denial to its flat assertion.

As it is our habit to sustain that very position we take, we now beg leave to call the attention of the *Herald* and Gov Grover to the language of the Supreme Court of the United States in Smith vs Turner in Norris vs the City of Boston and in other cases reported in 7 Howard. We should state by way of introduction that these cases grew out of an attempt by the States of Massachusetts and New York to impose taxes on aliens coming into the ports of the two States.

The States have reserved the police right to turn off from their territory, paupers, vagabonds and fugitives from justice. But they have not reserved the use of taxation universally to accomplish that object, as they had it before they became the United States. Having surrendered to the United States the sovereign police power over commerce, to be exercised by Congress or the treaty making power *it is necessarily a part of the power of the United States to refuse to admit any who shall come to and reside in the United States except for the purpose of trade, dependently of every other condition of admittance which the States may attempt to impose on such persons.*

Is this explicit and emphatic enough to satisfy Gov Grover and the *Herald*? It ought to be, but if it is not let them take the following statement by the Court of their own position,—a statement clearer than any they have yet been able to make,—with the answer of the Court to its fallacies:

But it was assumed that a State has an unlimited discretion, in virtue of its unsurrendered police power, to determine what persons shall reside in it. That it was said to follow that the State can remove all persons who are thought dangerous to its welfare, and to this right to remove, it was said, the right to determine who shall enter the State is an inseparable incident.

Now note the answer to these fallacious positions which are substantially those of Gov. Grover and the *Herald*:

That erroneous proposition of the State's discretion in this matter has led to all the more mistaken inferences made from it. The error arose from its having been overlooked that a part of the supreme police power of a nation is identical with its sovereignty over commerce. Or more properly speaking, the regulation of commerce is one of those particular rights collectively placed in the hands of the sovereign for the good of the State. Until it is shown that the police power in one of its particulars is not what it has just been said to be, the discretion of a State of this Union to determine what persons may come to and reside in it, remains unproved. *It cannot be proved* and the laws of Massachusetts and New York derive no support from police power in favor of their constitutionality.

Thus it is shown by the highest judicial tribunal that a State has *not* the right to determine what persons shall come to and reside in it. Gov Grover is therefore in error when he says that the States heretofore held the right to admit or exclude such persons (foreigners) as they should deem proper. Such an error on his part is inexcusable. If he is ignorant on the subject he has no business to meddle with it, if he is informed upon it and purposely misrepresents the law and the facts, what words are severe enough to give him the characterization he deserves?

The above extracts are from the opinion of Justice Wayne, who summed up what the Court meant to decide in these important cases. "Commerce of the United States," said the Court, "includes an intercourse of persons as well as an importation of merchandise." A State therefore can no more shut out foreign passengers than it can exclude cargoes of sugar or railroad iron.

Will Gov Grover and the *Herald* take notice also that this has been the established rule ever since the Constitution of 1789 went into operation, and that therefore the Burlingame Treaty with China does not take away from this State any power that it ever possessed to exclude the Chinese? The state never had such power, and of course would not have the power if the Treaty were annulled to-morrow.

"France was not Ready"

On the 11th August in the Corps Legislatif the veteran statesman Thiers spoke thus:

To-day we are contending with only one power and the world is astonished at our reverses. What is the explanation of this? France was not ready. No we were not ready. What other explanation can be given for recent events than this: France was not ready and the government incapable. If you wish to shield them men you compromise the country. I do certainly not desire to overwhelm unfortunate men and add sorrow which must fill their hearts, but men must not be defended at the expense of the country.

Three weeks before Thiers uttered these words he had voted against the war for which he was bitterly denounced. Of clearer vision than the Emperor and his ministers, he foresaw what they failed to see that France was not ready. And now after terrible reverses of arms, after immense sacrifice of life the old statesman stands humbled and sorrowful, apologizing to the world for the shadow that has fallen on his country. Yet eager to do justice to the valor of French soldiers he reiterates again and again that France was not ready for the war and that she has been sacrificed by an "incapable government." Such will be the verdict of history. While the world has been astonished at both the terrible earnestness valor and strength of Germany, it has been also steadily astonished at witnessing the weakness of France, not of France but of the Empire.

The New York *Tribune* shows that the national debt was paid off during the month of August at the rate of about half a million dollars a day. During the last six months the daily reduction has been more than $448,000. And during every day since President Grant began his economical administration the debt has been lessened—and with it the taxes and other burdens of the people—by more than $300,000. Here are the figures:

Debt decrease during August	$13 404 450 90
Debt decrease since Mar 4 1869	82 846 750 6
Debt decrease since Mar 4 1869	169 383 109 10

The New York *Herald* referring to this record pointedly asks: Does the Administration need any more convincing arguments and documents than such bulletins?

Congressman Smith is reported as saying in this city nearly all of last week that as soon as he heard of the quarrel in Oregon he would be started with precipitation for Salem. Mr Smith will certainly insist pertinaciously upon his constitutional right to keep up his intellectual appearance by raising his brow an inch or so with the razor. It is hoped that the advocates of the bill can be brought off or induced in some way to desist from their barbarous purpose or at any rate to except certain Democratic statesmen from the penalties of the bill.

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

SALEM, OCTOBER 18, 1870.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

It may be remembered generally, by a new people that one of the principal Democratic incitements in the late two campaigns against the Republican party was its want of economy in the administration of State affairs and it strikes me that I have read somewhere that the Democracy were well entitled to restore the direct form of county government, as there was pretty good reason for the action in that case. Whether there was any reason for the action in the case of the Republican party in the State, I will not undertake to say, but I do know that the Democracy have not restored the direct form of county government, but have added to the expenses of the State government, by the creation of a new office, and the appointment of a Deputy Secretary of State, at a salary of $1,200 per annum, and a Clerk at a salary of $1,000 per annum, and have also increased the salaries of the Secretary of State, Treasurer and Superintendent of Public Instruction, from $1,500 to $2,000 per annum each, and the salary of the Clerk of the Supreme Court from $1,000 to $1,500 per annum, and have also increased the salaries of the Judges of the Supreme Court from $3,000 to $3,500 per annum each, and have also increased the salaries of the Judges of the Circuit Courts from $2,500 to $3,000 per annum each, and have also increased the salaries of the Prosecuting Attorneys from $1,000 to $1,500 per annum each, and have also increased the salaries of the Clerks of the Circuit Courts from $1,000 to $1,500 per annum each, and have also increased the salaries of the County Judges from $1,000 to $1,500 per annum each, and have also increased the salaries of the County Clerks from $1,000 to $1,500 per annum each, and have also increased the salaries of the County Treasurers from $1,000 to $1,500 per annum each, and have also increased the salaries of the County Commissioners from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Assessors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Surveyors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Coroners from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Sheriffs from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Constables from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Justices of the Peace from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Jailers from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Janitors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Messengers from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Porters from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Watchmen from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Firemen from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Policemen from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Detectives from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Spies from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Informers from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Witnesses from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Jurors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Grand Jurors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Petit Jurors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Coroners' Jurors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Inquest Jurors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Viewers from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Appraisers from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Arbitrators from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Referees from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Masters in Chancery from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Commissioners in Chancery from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Receivers from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Trustees from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Guardians from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Executors from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Administrators from $3 per day to $4 per day, and have also increased the salaries of the County Assignees

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CITY.

The Circus and Menagerie—The Oregon Legislature passed an act granting a subsidy of $500 per month for the first year $400 per month for the second year and $300 per month for the third year to any company who may put on the route between Portland and Astoria a first class steamboat to make the trip in not more than six hours and to run regularly to take passengers and freight to and from Astoria and Portland and to connect with the Columbia river boat at Portland and bring them up and down for the sum of $5 each passenger The distance was calculated to be 100 miles and the time required to make the trip was calculated at six hours The object of the act was to secure a regular and speedy connection between the Columbia river steamers and the ocean steamers at Astoria and it is probable that the time required will be reduced to five hours before the close of the season The amount granted by the act is ridiculously small for a line of steamers of the size required by the act and probably no company will undertake the route for the amount granted The name of the steamer that started from Portland on Monday last to run to Astoria in connection with the ocean steamer was the Multnomah and she was advertised to make the trip in five hours The Legislature however did not specify what time should be required and the Multnomah was not expected to make the trip in less than six hours The Multnomah is a fine boat and is well adapted for the route but it is doubtful if she could be supported with a paying business for any length of time at the rates of fare and freight established by the Legislature The Multnomah is a stern wheel steamer and is said to draw only twelve inches of water when light and about fifteen inches when loaded with freight and passengers The Legislature however did not specify what time should be required as necessary an adjunct as her owners would be as necessary an adjunct as her boilers and engines and it is doubtful if she could make the trip in the time required by the act The tug Fearless however was expected to make the trip in about the time required by the act and the owners of the Multnomah doubtless feeling certain that such a trip could be made as necessary to secure the passengers and freight.

Communication from Mr. Snyder. Ex Sergeant at Arms of the House.

[Salem Oregon Sept 18, 1870.

Ks Oregonian

The proceedings of the House of Representatives of the Oregon Legislature last Monday and Tuesday bring me rather in a questionable light before the reading public, and in order that my friends may hear both sides and all of the proceedings public and private with which I was connected, I desire to here make a statement in vindication of my own acts.

In the Democratic caucus of the House of Representatives, our party friends nominated a Chief Clerk and gave him the privilege of naming his assistant, and also nominated myself as Sergeant-at-Arms, constructively, with the same prerogatives as had heretofore been the custom. In the Senate caucus there were several ballots for President and Sergeant-at-Arms, and in order to make Mr Fay President and to make a tie vote for Mr. Holton for Sergeant-at-Arms, those gentlemen agreed with Mr. McConnell that if he would get the two votes from Linn county for them, they would have his son Frank appointed Page of the Senate. McConnell kept his pledge, and Mr. Fay and Mr Holton were nominated and elected to their respective positions. The nomination of Mr. Holton was secured by Hon. Lansing Stout's vote, who was not present at the caucus, but confined to his bed by sickness. Upon the urgent request of one of the Senators, and greatly against the desire of Mr. Fay, a Senator's step-son was nominated Page by the caucus. This left Mr. Fay and Mr. Holton entirely without power to keep their promise to McConnell, who, of course, and naturally enough, was somewhat exproised. To appease this gentleman Mr Fay came to me and solicited I should appoint young McConnell Page of the House. This I refused to do, telling Mr. Fay I had already promised and would be compelled to keep my pledge. Fay persisted in a very insolent and ungentlemanly manner, when I told him he must not presume to run the whole Legislature, and so far as my prerogative was concerned he could not run it or me. He said he would see about that and teach me something. Upon the meeting of the House, Fay had me sent from the Hall of the House by the Speaker on some official business, in order to have Mr. Helm introduce a resolution that after the election of door-keeper a Page should be selected. This proceeding was had during my absence, and I was not made aware of it until I was informed by my son, a few minutes before the vote was taken, and had barely time to put in nomination my son's name for the position of Page against young McConnell. The vote was taken, and, of course, McConnell was elected.

The per diem of Sergeant-at-Arms is only three dollars, and my selection to that position without all the privileges and emoluments, was giving me empty honors, which of course will not pay for the services of any one who has a family at a distance to support.

Upon this proceeding terminating, I told some of my friends I had been wronged and it was a shame that I should have been robbed of one-half of my office to pay the debt of a promise made by Fay and Holton, and I could no longer permit myself to act as Sergeant-at-Arms, and feel other than subjected to their dictation and control, particularly as I knew how one of these gentlemen and his friends voted in the last and former campaigns. He made a "bet he would not vote at fast election" and his friends "went fishing," whereby the Multnomah county ticket was defeated. It looked to me then, and does now, that there is a disposition to reward perfidy and punish faithfulness. I have nothing to say about the proceedings of the House on the morning of Tuesday, other than that they were hasty, as it was my intention to have resigned, and to have presented my resignation in a few moments. My delay in going to the House that morning was occasioned by indisposition.

I am a Democrat still, one of those independent Democrats that no demagogue can corrupt to a self-aggrandizing purpose, and nobody can buy. To those true men of the party I say beware of disorganizers and their coadjutors. They have been the bane of the party in Multnomah, and if care is not taken they will be the means of your destruction throughout the State in the future. To the gentleman of the House of Representatives I am under many obligations for favors they have conferred. Yours, etc.,

ALBERT M. SNYDER.

The Strong Financial Position of the United States.

[From the New York Herald.]

While the governments of the great European nations can hardly make both ends meet, even in time of peace, this country has an ever-flowing treasury, and is paying the national debt off at the rate of over a hundred millions of dollars a year. The stupendous sum raised and expended during the four years of our war was unparalleled in the history of the world, and all without a foreign loan or aid from foreign capitalists. There never was a war that cost so much within the same time; for not only were the forces raised enormous, but the pay and equipment of the men and the cost of everything used were much greater than in any other country. The cost of the Prussian and French armies in pay, clothing, provisions, arms and everything else for war purposes is less than a third, probably, of what the same number of men and amount of materials was here. Then look at the enormous bounties paid—from five hundred to a thousand dollars a man—an amount that would equip and support a French or German soldier for several years. Besides, the general extravagance and plunder of the treasury were frightful, and would have bankrupted any other nation. No country in the world could raise such sums as we did. Yet five years after the war not only has all the vast floating debt been discharged but we have paid off several hundred millions of the organized debt. At the present rate of liquidation we could extinguish the whole, which is a little more than two thousand millions, within fifteen years.

It is not surprising, therefore, that our credit remains good during the terrible conflict of arms that is convulsing Europe. At first, of course, United States securities felt the shock, as all others did, from that natural sympathy which the finances of one great civilized country have with those of other countries. But afterwards, when people and capitalists began to reason more clearly the resources of the United States and the superior value and security of our bonds, they clung to them as the best investment they could have. Hence there have been few of our bonds sent home from Europe. Nor is it likely there would be any serious depreciation if even the war should spread over Europe. Our superior and well paying securities would be held and be sought for by the people no matter what strain there might be upon the governments and capitalists for money. There is no reason, indeed, why our bonds should not gradually rise to their true value under any events that may occur in Europe. If we have been able to accomplish so much in raising money for a gigantic war and in rapidly paying off the debt in the past what can we not do in the near future when our population will be doubled and the wealth of the country quadrupled?

CANADIAN RETALIATION.—The New York *Herald* says:

The oppressive measures which the New Dominion government has taken to revenge itself on the United States for the repeal of the Reciprocity treaty have assumed such a shape that it is probable Secretary Fish will institute negotiations to have them abrogated altogether. It appears that, besides forbidding Americans from fishing in Canadian waters, they also forbid American vessels engaged in the fishing business from entering the Canadian ports in the fishing grounds. Like all Canadian attempts at retaliation, however, this one redounds on the Blueuoses almost as severely as on the Yankees. Business in Prince Edward Island is languishing in consequence, and the people are loudly complaining.

A Washington dispatch says the work of reducing the number of officers of the army, under the new law, is rapidly going on.

CURRENT NOTES

A Paris correspondent says that the mob will not be allowed to assemble in any but fixed places for the reception of the remains of Victor Noir, to prevent any collision between the police and the people.

The publication of a new religious monthly, to be called the *Examiner*, will be announced by the Western News Company in Chicago in October. The prospectus says it will be the organ of radical Christianity.

A Madrid paper, *La Republica Iberica*, says: "May the hand of destiny fall to the lot of Prussia, for the crime she has to the branch of the rights of the Church people, the Pope of other tyrants, and the expulsion of the infallible Pope from Rome."

The famous Boston Coliseum organ, which was considerably demoralized by the gale of last September, has been reconstructed and toned down, and is about to be put in Rev. Mr. Talmadge's new church in Brooklyn, for which it is very well fitted, the church having a seating capacity of 3,000 persons.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

PORTLAND, Sept. 19.

We have no later quotations from New York than the 17th, which was Saturday.

Currency, buying, 70@71c; selling, 72c.

It seems that the manager of freight for Oregon is just at this time attracting much notice in San Francisco. It is said that the *Continental*, now en route, was hired to decline freight for Portland three days in advance of her sailing time, and the telegraph informs us that the *California* will still further two days in advance of her regular day, and that her cargo is now already engaged. In addition to this several more steamers are loading, and the way, with business prospects extremely good. The *Night and Day*, with Captain Reed still in command of her, is now on the route between Portland and San Francisco.

The steamer *Gen. A. McCook* sailed for Portland from Honolulu on night of the 9th inst., with a cargo of 225,000 feet of lumber.

The North Pacific Transportation Company's propeller *Idaho*, which left this city on Saturday evening for Victoria, carried but a small cargo of merchandise, in her freight was mostly from San Francisco for Victoria.

The *Helen W. Almy* sailed for Comptonville on Saturday, to load lumber for China.

Markets by Telegraph.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 17

Flour—Unchanged.

Wheat—Buyers seeking, $1 50, 70c asked, $1 60 offered; 1,000 ctls shipping, $1 55; 2,000 sks do private; Sold sks $1 58@1 59½; 1,000 sks do cash; $1 54½.

Oats—$1 Short rates extreme.

Hay—7 tons choice, $25 50; 2 tons common $20 25; 15 tons do, $26 50; 20 tons do, $26 75; 20 tons do $27; 20 tons do, $28; 25 tons do, $28 25; 30 tons do, $28 50.

Barley—Buyers seeking, $1 50, 70c sks asked, $1 60 offered; 1,000 ctls shipping, $1 55; 2,000 sks do private; Sold sks $1 58@1 59½; 1,000 sks do cash; $1 54½.

Onions—150 sks selling from the wharf 65c.

Potatoes—Carolina, $1@1 12½; other kinds, $1 50@1.

The Liverpool wheat market shows an improved tendency, closing today at 10s, an advance of 3d since Wednesday.

The steamer *Montana* today had 940 passengers and a small cargo, including 25,000 pounds of wool and 1,500 gallons of wine and brandy.

Shipping Intelligence.

[By TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—Arrived—Schooners *Kitty Stetson* and *Vanderbilt*, Coos Bay.

Sailed—*Seychelles*, Anderson, Bark *Florence*, Seattle; bark *Admiral Jones*, Astoria; schooner *Minnie Kodiak*.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 18.—Sailed—French ship *Maid of Japan*; bark *Townsend* to load for Callao; bark *Young Fatti*, Seattle.

Arrived—Schooner *Sparrow*, Coos Bay.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 8 o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend By order of W. T. GOLD.

Multnomah Tribe No. 3, I O R. M. holds regular Councils every Monday evening at the Eighth Run, at Oregon Wigwam, in Carter's building, corner Alder and Front Sts. myGdtf By order of THE SACHEM.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I O O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the Lodge are invited to attend. By order of S. G.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No 16 North Front street. By order of M. E. H. P.

G. A. R.—Baker Post No. 1.—Regular meetings on First and Third Saturday evenings of each month, at Nonpareil Hall, corner First and Madison sts. All comrades in good standing invited to attend. By order of POST COMMANDER.

U. A. O. D.—Regular meetings of Morwin Grove, No. 2, on Thursday evening of each week, at 8 o'clock, in Druid's Hall, Front street, near Stark. Members of Sister Groves and sojourning Brethren are cordially invited to attend. A. J. MARSHALL, N. A.

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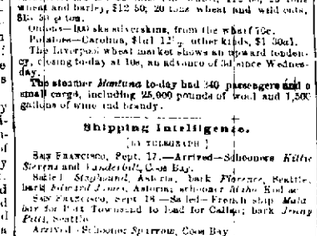

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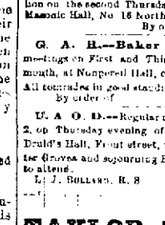

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15 Gifts, 750 each		15,000 "
20 Gifts, 600 each		12,000 "
20 Gifts, 500 each		10,000 "
20 Gifts, 400 each		12,000 "
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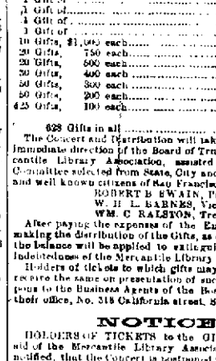

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ordinance No. 852.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A DAY AND HOUR FOR THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORTLAND.

The Common Council of the City of Portland do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That hereafter the regular meetings of the Common Council of the City of Portland shall be held on the first and third Tuesday evenings of each month, commencing with the first Tuesday evening in October, 1870, at the hour of 7½ o'clock P. M., at the Council Chamber in said City of Portland.

Sec. 2. That the Marshal shall have power to call special meetings of the Council whenever he deems it necessary, and shall notify the members of the Council of the time and place of such meeting.

Sec. 3. The Marshal shall notify the Mayor of the time and place of each regular meeting of the Council, and shall attend such meeting and execute the orders of the Council.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed the Common Council September 7, 1870.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved, Sept. 12, 1870.

B. GOLDSMITH, Mayor.

Hose.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the undersigned until 12 M Tuesday, September 20, 1870, for one second hand 6 inch Leather Leading Hose for the use of the Fire Department, to be of the same size and length as those now in use. Bids will state the price per foot for 6 inch riveted Hose, to stand a pressure of 125 lbs. to the square inch, and for double thread Hose.

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders, properly verified, in the sum of five hundred dollars, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to him he will enter into the same as required, and if he refuses to contract therefor, that said bondsmen will be liable for the difference between his bid and the next highest bid for the same.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids if in the judgment of the Committee it is for the interest of the City so to do.

By order of the Committee on Fire and Water.

ROBERT HUME, Chief Engineer. sep13 d3

Ordinance No. 850.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE COMMISsioner of Streets and Public Property to contract with Charles Cowin upon for the use of part of Lots 3 in Block No 14, and Lot 6 in Block No 15, South of Washington Street, in the City of Portland, and does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Commissioner of Streets and Public Property is hereby authorized to contract with Charles Cowin upon for the underpinning of the east wall of the Portland House No 2, on the west side of Front street, and the east wall of the Pacific House, on the west side of Second street, both in said City of Portland.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed the Common Council September 7, 1870.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Sept. 10, 1870.

B. GOLDSMITH, Mayor.

Ordinance No. 851.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE SALARY OF THE Secretary of the Portland Fire Department.

The City of Portland do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That from and after the first day of July, 1870, the Secretary of the Portland Fire Department shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly.

Passed the Common Council September 7, 1870.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Sept. 10, 1870.

B. GOLDSMITH, Mayor.

Ordinance No. 848.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SUBMIT-ting to the [illegible] Ward Water Works Company [illegible] Section 1. That the Mayor of the City of Portland be and he is hereby authorized to submit to the Board of Directors of the Portland Water Works Company a proposition to extend the water mains of said Company [illegible] Sec. 2. That the Mayor shall report in writing to the Common Council at their first meeting thereafter, the decision of the Board of Directors of said Company upon the proposition submitted to them by the Mayor, as provided in the first section of this ordinance.

Passed the Common Council September 7, 1870.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Sept. 10, 1870.

B. GOLDSMITH, Mayor.

Ordinance No. 849.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE of [illegible] for the use of the Fire Department.

Section 1. That the Chief Engineer and Commissioner of Fire Department be and they are hereby authorized to purchase on the account of said Fire Department [illegible] Section 2. That the purchase price of said [illegible] Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed the Common Council September 7, 1870.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Sept. 10, 1870.

B. GOLDSMITH, Mayor.

Seventh Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council proposes to improve that part of Seventh Street lying between Clay Street and the North line of the Carolina land claim by grading to the established grade.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Sept. 7, 1870. d10d

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Third and North Third Streets.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No. 846 of the Improvement of Third and North Third streets between Cumberland and Glisan streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 846, on each of the following described lots and parts of lots fronting or abutting on said street, as well as the real property liable to pay the same, within the line of the improvement, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date of this notice, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

Bl'k	L.	Owner	Assessment
C	20	W. P. Burk, Agent	$12 12
	1	The Star Co	12 12
	2	Peter Taylor	12 12
	3	J. J. Johnson	12 12
	4	Zan M. E. Church	12 12
	7	I. A. Davenport	6 06
	15	G. H. W. Dekum	6 06
	16	L. M. Starr	6 06
	17	Marshall A. Kelly	6 06
	21	2 Boston & Wilson	12 12
	3	James Muir	6 06
	4	Mrs. Ann Muir	6 06
	5	M. A. Hyer	6 06
	6	E. Gilson	6 06
	8	C. E. Klinger	12 12
	9	R. A. White	12 12
	10	M. A. Chapman	12 12
	4	Jas Ryles	6 06
	5	W. H. Ayer	12 12
	6	C. Bills	12 12
	7	A. Stancil	12 12
	8	Mrs. Mary E. Smith	12 12
	9	Mrs. M. Reed	12 12
	10	G. W. Riddle	12 12
	11	E. A. H. Hoyt	12 12
	12	P. C. Campbell	12 12
	6	J. G. Ellis	12 12
	7	D. McNulty	12 12
	8	J. A. Strowbridge	12 12
	9	G. H. Atkinson	12 12
	10	A. E. Bonnell	12 12
	11	W. S. Ladd	12 12
	12	M. A. Austin	12 12
	6	H. Hogan	6 06
	7	W. Chamberlain	6 06
	8	J. M. Holman	12 12
	9	L. Fleischner	6 06
	10	E. Hartaugh	6 06
	7, 8	Wm. Beck	12 12
	9	Jacob Mayer	6 06
	10	Mary Mayer	6 06
	11	Mrs. J. M. Stott	12 12
	12	J. M. Wilson	12 12
	6	Est. of J. B. Jackson	6 06
	7	Thomas Culley	6 06
	8	G. Schmeer	6 06
	9	F. Dekum	6 06
	10	S. Schmeer	6 06
	11	Chamberlain & Hirsch	12 12
	12	James McKay	6 06
	6	H. W. Corbett	12 12
	7, 8	Est. C. E. Bayer	12 12
	9	Joseph Levy	6 06
	10	B. Stark	6 06
	11	F. Bickel	6 06
	12	E. D. Shattuck	6 06
	6	A. J. Black	6 06
	7	B. Stark	6 06
	8	E. D. Shattuck	6 06
	9	J. C. Carson	6 06
	10	R. Lafton	6 06
		City of Portland	6 06
		Jos. Supple	6 06
		J. Kimball	6 06
		Jas. Wright	6 06
		J. Donovan	6 06
51	W 1/2	J. A. Davenport	6 06
	W 1/2	P. Donovan	6 06
		L. Myers	6 06
		Geo. Pratt	6 06
		P. D. W. Hailenbergh	6 06
50	5	J. Kamm	6 06
	3, 4, 5	J. & J. Wilson	6 06
	1, No 2	R. W. Corbett	6 06
49	3, 4	R. Porter	6 06
	5	P. Hartaugh	6 06
		M. K. Kingsley	6 06
48		Masonic Hall Association	6 06
		E. F. Caable	6 06
	1, 2	F. Dekum	6 06
47	3, 4	Presbyterian Church	6 06
	5	E. M. Sinclair	6 06
		E. B. Bailey	6 06
46	3, 4	C. P. Bacon	6 06
	1, 2	Wm. Eberbeck	6 06
45	3, 4	C. A. Arnold	6 06
44	1, 2, 3, 4	R. K. Thompson	6 06
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By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Sept. 14 1870 d10d Auditor and Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

Of Land for Delinquent City Taxes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN AND BY virtue of an alias warrant issued by order of the Common Council of the City of Portland and to me directed and attached, I have levied upon the following described lands for the collection of taxes levied February 7, 1870, and remaining due to collect the taxes designated thereon as delinquent, and forward of taxes and property to make said taxes, I have levied upon and on Saturday, the 24th day of September, A. D. 1870, I will sell at public auction at the Court House door in the City of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, as much of the following described lots and parcels of land as may be necessary to pay the taxes thereon, including State and County taxes and State aforesaid, and was assessed to the following named persons, to-wit:

Name.	Lot	Block.	Tax.
Redman, D.	W ½	302	$1 03
Bull, M. P.	6, 7, 8	88	3 09
Carter, T. J.	W ½	12	4 12
" " Carter's Add	W ½	13	4 12
" " Caruthers Add	"	1	2 06
Carter, W. D.	"	2	1 03
" "	"	3	2 06
" "	"	5	3 08
" "	"	6	2 06
" "	"	7	2 06
" "	"	8	2 06
" "	"	9	2 06
" "	"	10	2 06
Carter, Hayden & Co,	"	2	2 07
Carson & Porter,	3, 4	228	4 12
" " Caruth's Add	"	3	3 09
Carson, J. C.,	"	3	6 18
" "	"	4	4 12
" "	"	5	2 06
" "	"	6	2 06
" "	"	7	2 06
" "	"	8	2 06
" "	"	9	2 06
" "	"	10	2 06
Carter, Hayden & Co,	"	2	2 07
Carson & Porter,	3, 4	228	4 12
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Carson, J. C.,	"	3	6 18
" "	"	4	4 12
" "	"	5	2 06
" "	"	6	2 06
" "	"	7	2 06
" "	"	8	2 06
" "	"	9	2 06
" "	"	10	2 06
Carson, Mrs F. O.	"	1	1 03
Church, Methodist,	"	2	2 06
Church, Catholic,	"	111	3 09
Church, Episcopal,	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	56	12 10
Coffin, Stephen,	all	287	1 54
" "	all	289	1 54
" "	all	294	1 54
" "	all	295	1 54
" "	all	296	1 54
" "	all	297	1 54
" "	all	298	1 03
" "	all	299	1 03
" "	all	300	1 03
" "	all	301	1 03
" "	E ½	302	1 03
Fleischner, Jacob Caruthers' Add	"	3	2 06
" "	"	6	2 06
Flegel & Hilkemeyer,	"	3	2 06
Kemper, F.	"	3	2 06
" "	"	4	1 03
Miner, James, Couch's Add	"	4	7 7
" "	"	5	2 06
" "	"	6	2 06
Miller, Samuel, (fractional)	5	A	5 66
O'Connor, John,	N 12 feet	2	16 22 06
Parrish, W. Couch's Add	"	2	172 6 18
Powell & Ackroyd,	all	293	1 54
Powell, W. S,	all	294	1 03
Price, Harris, Caruthers' Add	5, 6	84	1 03
Ross Gear Christian, Kings Co'm,	44	CHRISTIAN	2 57
Rutleigh, Est of	12	85	4 12
Stephens, Thos,	N ½	6	2 06
" "	N ½	5	92 70
Stout, Susan C,		3	2 06 8 24
" "		6	2 06 4 12
Upton, J. B,		4	2 06 8 24
" "	all	295	3 15
" "	all	296	3 15
Unknown without "brothers" Add		5	6 1 03
" "		6	6 1 03
Van Rensalaer, J. C		3	9 9 09
" "		4	3 9 09
" "		5	4 15 14 42
" "		1	148 15 45
" "		2	148 15 45
" "		3	148 15 45
" "		4	148 15 45
Walker, Nathan, Logan Tract,	75	22	CHRISTIAN 2 06
Willamette Lodge, F. & A. M.,	1, 2	150	10 30

Sale to commence at the office of A. M. PHILIP SAN-BORN, City Marshal.

Portland, August 25, 1870. au26dtf

First and South First Streets.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of First and South First streets lying between Madison and Lincoln streets by grading to the established grade, and planking said streets with plank, and the crossings of intersections with plank, and the contractor to pay for the same.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Sept. 9, 1870 $50d10 Auditor and Clerk.

Front and South Front Streets.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve Front and South Front streets between the south line of Harrison street and the north line of Lincoln street, by grading and laying a roadway, twenty feet wide.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Sept. 9, 1870 d10d Auditor and Clerk

First Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to change the [illegible] First street [illegible] between the south line of Harrison street and the north line of Lincoln street, by grading and laying a roadway, twenty feet wide.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Sept 16 '70 —d10d Auditor and Clerk

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

CREDITORS MEETING.—In the matter of the estate of C. A. Westfall, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. There will be an adjourned general meeting of the creditors of the above named bankrupt held at the office of W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, Portland, Oregon, on the 29th day of September, 1870, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. for the purpose specified in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of 1867.

SAM A. MOORELAND,
Assignee of said Estate

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